

## **REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS**

**Title of Publication:** mel\_low\_8.mpg

**Other Known Title:** Not Stated

**Format:** Computer Moving Image File

**Director/Author:** Not Applicable

**Producer/Publisher:** Not Applicable

**Country of Origin:** Not Stated

**Language:** Not Stated

**Applicant:** Comptroller of Customs

**Distributor:** Not Stated

<b>Classification:</b>	Objectionable.
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**Descriptive Note:** Not Applicable

**Display Conditions:** Not Applicable

**Date of entry in Register:** 16 August 2007

**Date of direction to issue a label:** Not Applicable

**OFLC No:** 701721

**Unexcised version of publication:**

	<b>Components</b>	<b>Running time</b>
<b>Feature:</b>	mel_low_8.mpg	3.28
<b>Total running time:</b>		3.28

**Excisions:** No Excisions Recommended

**Reasons for excisions:**

Not Applicable

**Summary of reasons  
for classification:**

The computer moving image file *mel\_low\_8.mpg* is classified as:  
Objectionable.

This classification is because the publication promotes and supports the use of urine in association with sexual conduct in terms of s3(2)(d) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993 (FVPC Act). The publication depicts a woman urinating while engaged in sexually explicit activity. The combination of sexual activity and the use of urine as part of the sexual performance promotes the use of urine in association with sexual conduct.

The Classification Office has considered the effects of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 on the application of the classification criteria. The classification of this publication interferes with the freedom of expression, but this is an outcome that is consistent with Parliament's intention that publications falling under s3(2) of the FVPC Act are deemed to be objectionable.